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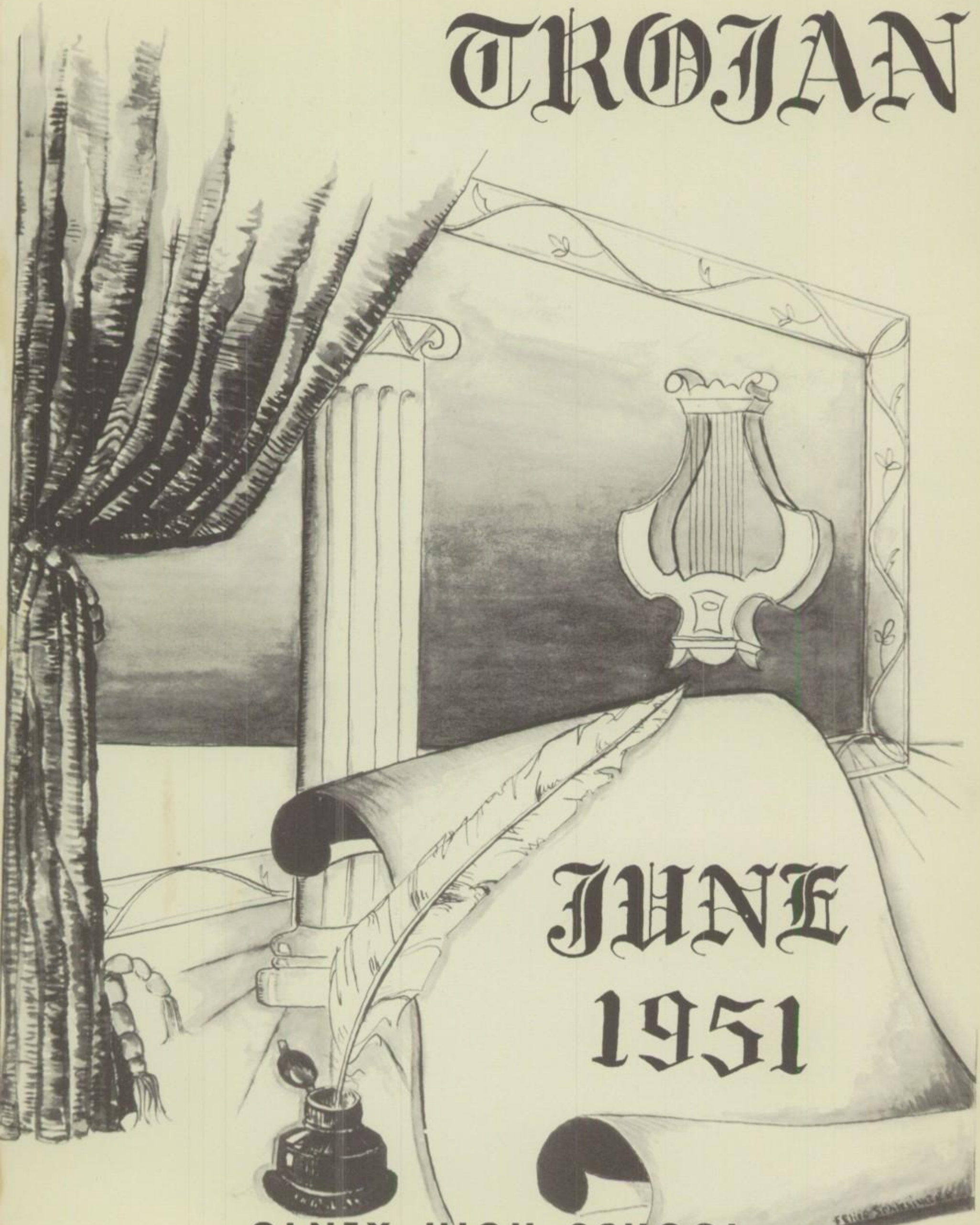

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OLNEY HIGH SCHOOL

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THEME

WE, the Trojan Staff of June 1951, are proud to state that we are centering our Yearbook around the immortal bard, William Shakespeare. We all have made his acquaintance here at Olney where his plays have left an indelible impression on our minds after having both amused us and confused us. Hundreds of years have gone by since Shakespeare wrote his first lines, but his plays, characters, and quotations are known the world over. For this reason we have decided to let him make our Yearbook, to let him direct us with his words of wisdom. Therefore, we present to you the memories of our *"Brief Hour Upon The Stage,"* our *"Comedy of Errors,"* our High School career.

ROSWE BINDER

Dedicated to Charles Barton McCann

Charles Barton McCann was a great teacher.

"A great teacher never dies."

When one is master of a subject, skilled in imparting it, gifted with power to draw forth latent talent in his pupils and to nurture within them an ever-developing creative genius which unfolds into master power of their own—then the pattern of the teacher's life goes on and on in the repeated successes of those he has taught.

Charles McCann's life was a grand success. He lived and taught in an atmosphere of friendly interest, of tactful guidance, of sincere, but authoritative discipline and leadership. He required work of such a high standard that a pupil had to be practically a genius to get an "A". But when a student moved on to become a recognized designer, artist, or sculptor, as many men and women did under the inspiration of his teaching, appreciation of his high standard of work was gratefully expressed.

His later years were filled with giving himself to the thing he loved most—persuading others to find in line, depth, and color, the beauty of nature, and in urging them to try to find an outlet in self-expression, for the inner appreciation of art.

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CHARLES BARTON McCANN

OUR SPONSORS

As our high school days draw to a close we, the graduating seniors find ourselves silently thanking all those who have made our stay at Olney so wonderful. Probably we find ourselves thanking especially our sponsors, Mrs. Loveland and Mr. Glass, for it was they who made sure our prom was such a memorable affair, and saw to it that we had fun on our class trip.

Mrs. Loveland, we shall remember as the teacher always enthusiastic about some new project, always willing to try something different. Without her perhaps we might not have attempted so many rewarding enterprises.

To Mr. Glass we are especially indebted for his steadying influence. It was he who always warned us to think twice before undertaking a doubtful venture. To him we are grateful for making us realize our responsibilities in all that we did.

We can never really thank either sponsor enough. We, the class of June 1951 only hope that this small, but sincere tribute will be for them always a token of our deep appreciation and friendship.

GERTRUDE LOVELAND

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"The quality of mercy is not strain'd"

As we, the graduates of the June '51 class, look back on the many things which we have experienced during our stay at Olney, we cannot help smiling a little. We see ourselves as glowing, eager freshmen, viewing with scorn the many seniors who took advantage of our inexperience. How we longed to be seniors so that we in turn could badger entering freshmen! The many trials and tribulations which we endured as beginners at Olney have now become fond memories. Running down five flights of stairs to get to Gym on time, eating lunch and at the same time checking to see that the tables were cleared (oh-to be a captain), or trudging wearily to a fourth floor locker are the many experiences which seem humorous to us now as we prepare to leave Olney. We can remember, too, the hours and hours of homework. We felt that our teachers did not always pity us and there were many times when we believed that they were entirely without mercy. But now, as we recall many things, we realize that the trials of the freshman year, the homework, and the many tests all played an important part in our development. We are particularly conscious of the careful guidance of our teachers without whose help we could not have been successful. We are grateful to the librarians who diligently hunted down a book with us for English class, the counsellors who helped us decide what career we were best suited for or what college to attend after graduation, and our principal whose able leadership has aided us so much in the past few years. Their untiring efforts have played an essential role in changing us from timid, immature freshmen to confident, alert seniors who are prepared to face the world and future responsibility.

OUR PRINCIPAL

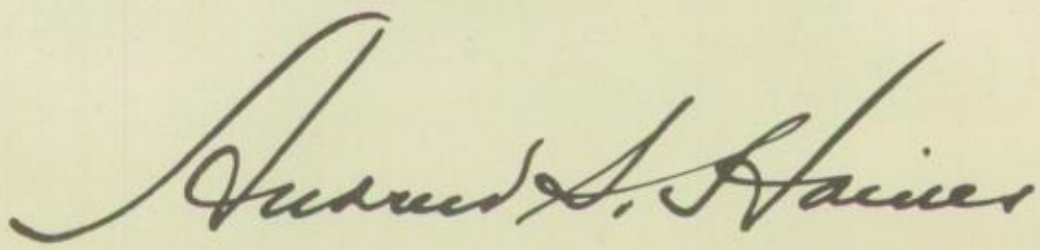
ANDREW S. HAINES

Within the plays of Shakespeare is found probably the greatest assortment and diversity of characters ever depicted by one writer. The impatient lover, the crafty liar, the wily cheat, the simple buffoon, the cowardly courtier, the stern unrelenting Shylock, the desperate Hamlet—all are revealed in stark reality by the words they utter and the actions they take.

No words have more aptly expressed the great virtue of moral integrity, sincerity and honesty of character than those in which Polonius exhorts Laertes with the following:

"This above all: To thine own self be true;
And it must follow, as the night the day,
Thou canst not then be false to any man."

You have reached a time and place for important decision. A variety of choices in work, companions, recreation, and other courses of action lie before you. But all these are much less important than the resolution never to waver from an absolute code of honor and decency with yourself and others. Integrity of character, if you maintain it, will bring inner strength, exaltation of spirit, and the calm courage to endure now and always any difficulty that arises.



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We, the class of June 1951, want to express our gratitude and appreciation to our vice-principals, Mrs. Fink and Dr. Greenwood, for their untiring efforts.

Almost every member of our class has, at some time, depended upon the helpful, encouraging advice which these two fine people have always been so willing to offer.

Mrs. Fink's warm smile and friendly "hello", and Dr. Greenwood's sense of humor have earned permanent places in our high school memories.

With this thought in mind, we extend our sincere thanks to these two wonderful friends

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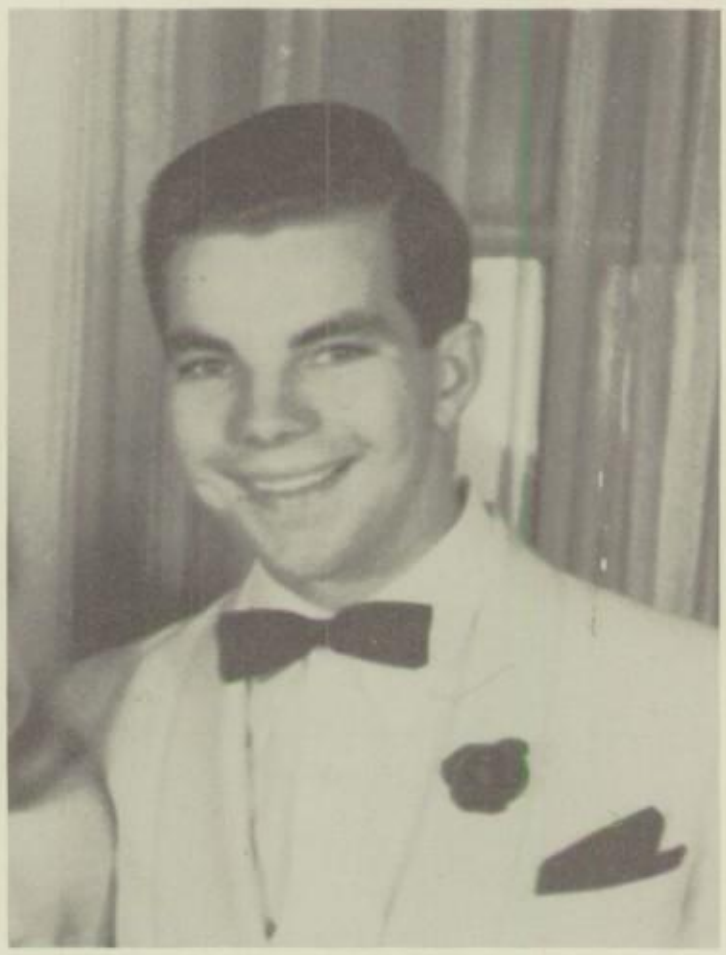

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"Welcome ever smiles,
And farewell goes out sighing."

When a student becomes an alumnus of Olney, there is always a desire to retain the friendships of those with whom he has associated during his stay in high school. This is made possible through our Alumni Association. Besides keeping old acquaintances, the association offers many opportunities to make new ones. Among the activities you will find dances, boat-rides, outings, and in the summer, swims. Moreover, the Alumni Association has a great interest in the activities of the school itself. It presents outstanding students with awards at graduation, and trophies for sports. If you are active in sports, there are various Alumni teams which you may join. On the whole, the Alumni Association promotes the lasting friendships which were begun during the years at Olney.

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"'Tis a happy thing
To be the father unto many sons."

The Big Four Fathers is an organization which has rendered much service to Olney, our school, and community. The group is composed of fathers, neighbors, and friends who have performed invaluable service to us. The Big Four Fathers have, since their organization in 1925, aided us in establishing our athletic field and library. More recently they have established a fund for a scholarship which is awarded each semester. Thus, a member of the class of June 1951 will be counted among the many recipients of The Four Fathers good work. For this aid and for all the rest we wish to express a most sincere "Thank you."

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"How far that little candle throws its beams!
So shines a good deed in a naughty world."

Our Mothers Group of Olney High School does many good deeds that shine throughout our school and community. Our mothers and friends who are interested in education, in community life, in helping the school, and in keeping contact with their adolescent offspring have been Shakespeare's candle softly throwing its beams to light us on our way through Olney. In recent years they have contributed generously to a major charity drive each term. They have helped to buy our choir and band uniforms; they contribute to the student welfare scholarship. This group works in such a quiet, unpublicized way that we seldom hear about it. But we do know that we have this organization and that it is ready to be a mother to the school as the members, individually, are mothers to us. We know it is a working part of Olney that we can not and will not forget.

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Elaine J Feldman

ACTIVITIES

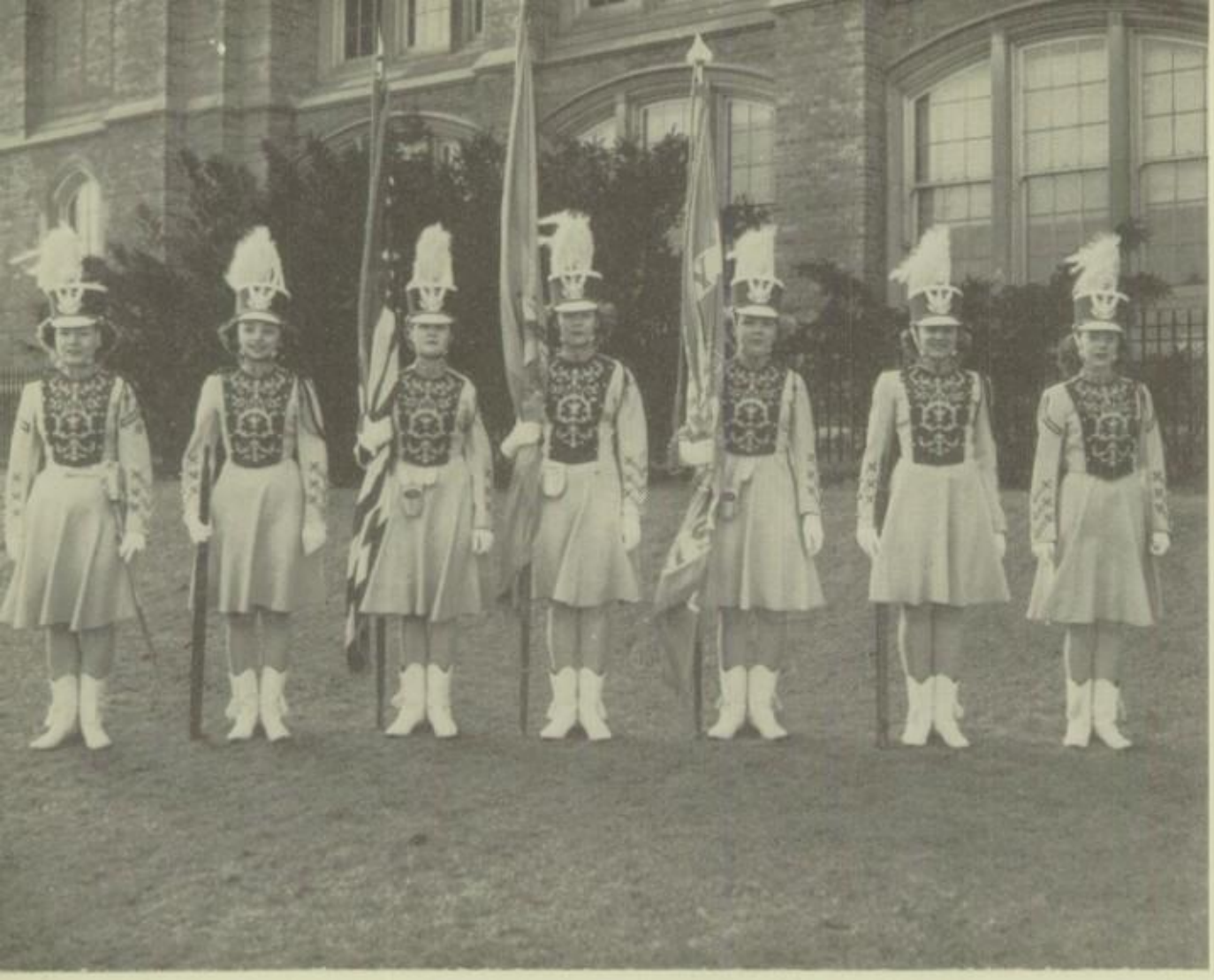
"If all the year were playing holidays,
To sport would be as tedious as to work;
But when they seldom come they wish'd for come
And nothing pleaseth but rare accidents."

No, Olney's clubs are not *"rare accidents,"* but they are *"wish'd for"* diversions from our every day work. They are to us *"playing holidays"* which we never tire of. They are offered to us as presents. If we accept, we find we have been given something really worth while. If we refuse, if we fail to open our present, we never know what we have missed—tho' we know that we have missed something. Can you imagine how dull our years at Olney would have been with just 'readin', 'ritin', and 'rithmetic? We needed and wanted our clubs to give us that something else—that something which is school, but is different and enjoyable. When can we again find groups of people our own age who are interested in the same things we are? In the after graduation world we shall have to seek such groups. Here at Olney they are ours, ours to take advantage of. We, in the graduation class, have taken advantage of our clubs because we know that as Shakespeare once said,

"There is a tide in the affairs of men,
Which taken at the flood, leads on to fortune;
Omitted, all the voyage of their life
Is bound in shallows, and in miseries.
On such a full sea are we now afloat;
And we must take the current when it serves,
Or lose our ventures."

Yes, we have *taken the current,* and, with good fortune, we shall not *"lose our ventures."*

Ray Dallasta



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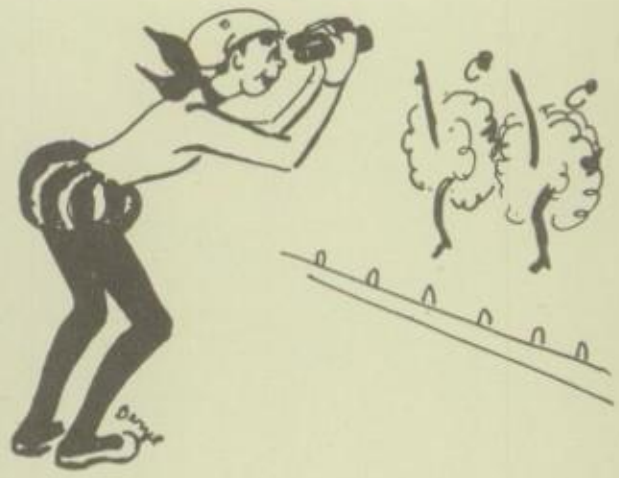

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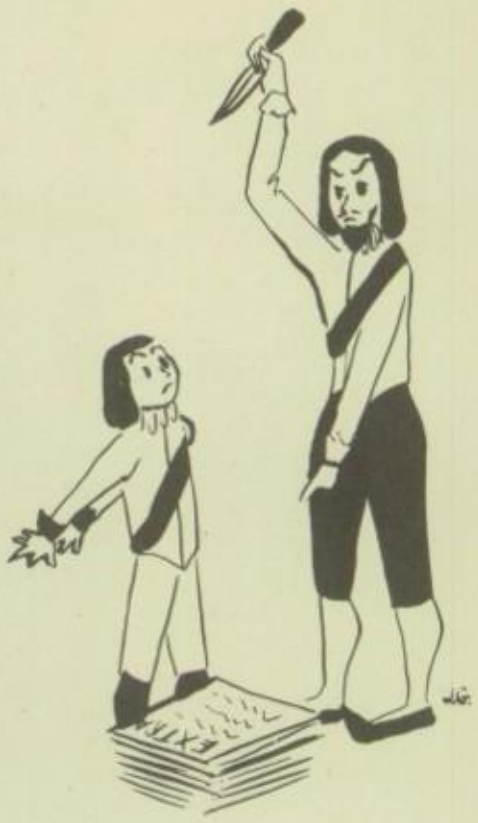

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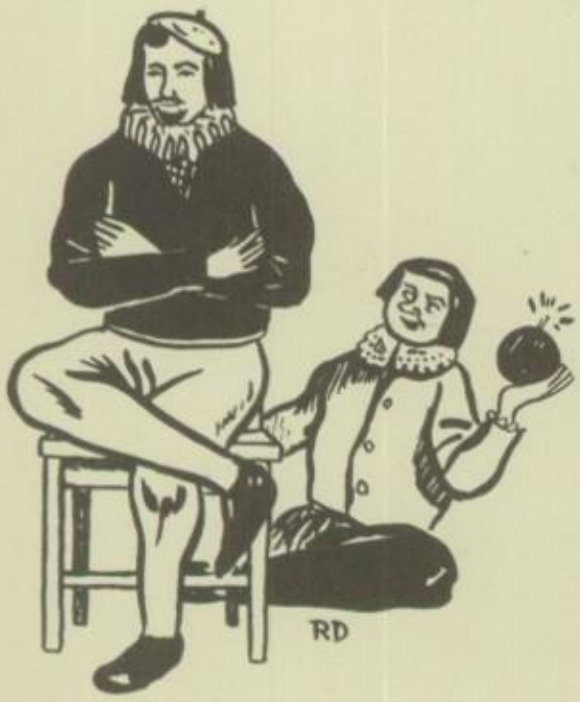

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Our A Cappella Choir, famed for its good work, is an organization of which we can be proud. Under the fine leadership of Mr. Nitche the choir has long been the champion of choirs in Philadelphia.

The activities of the choir are numerous. Aside from occasional social functions, it accepts Sunday-night engagements at various churches.

The choir is headed by Marjorie Newmeyer, as president, Ray Dallasta, vice-president, and Kathryn Fende is secretary. Dolores Dunn keeps choir members looking their best as robe keeper for the group.

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10. Barbara Rosenblum
11. Vivian Silvers
12. **Shirley Toll**
13. Barbara Williams
14. Anna Liese Ludwig
14. Janet Smith
15. Claire Bailis
16. Rhoda Brouse
17. **Sandy Einheber**
18. Stephanie Frantz
19. Natalie Heickler
20. Irene Katz
21. **Margaret Markward**
22. Edith Misch
    Doris Mitnick
23. **Janet Rosen**
24. Barbara Stillman
25. **Elaine Ureche**
26. Judith Berg
27. Lee Cahan
28. **Helen Condodina**
29. Marge Ebner
30. Miriam Gelzer
31. Dave Greenblatt
32. Harriet Goslow
33. Eleanor Kirkwood
34. Elaine Levit
35. Marilyn Meyer
36. Shirley Needleman
37. Elaine Rosenzweig
38. Sidney Shapiro
39. **Bernard Shusman**
40. Nathan Stahler
41. Irene Zeitz
42. Shely Blank
43. Evelyn Charney
44. **Joan Cornfield**
45. **Lois Fair**
46. **Ted Friedman**
47. Ruth Heilbronn
48. Murray Kanefsky
49. Shirley Kolman
50. Eileen Ludtke
51. Doris Opyhelor
52. Cecelia Popowich
53. Adele Schaffer
54. **Cynthia Serfer**
55. Miriam Slotnick
56. **Shirley Swichar**
57. Faith Wise
58. Adele Berkowitz
59. Antoinette Perami
60. **Beverly Cooper**
61. **Irene Fellman**
62. Norma Gaist
63. **Marlene (Anita) Goldberg**
64. Barbara Hartz
65. Marcia Kahn
66. Miriam Lewis
67. Joan Martin
68. Miriam Kahn
    Ruth Perloff
69. **Bertha Rittenhouse**
70. Judy Rossman
71. Betty Seipp
72. **Rita Staller**
73. Arlene Treegood
74. Alice Welner
75. Efthemia Bastas
76. **Carol Collins**
77. **Zelda Finkelstein**
78. Marlene Glazer
79. Roberta Liberts
80. Joan Moscowitz
81. Phyllis Saddington
82. Sylvia Soefer
83. **Ruth Weitz**
84. Gladys Baylinson
85. Diane Brooks
86. **Irene Fox**
87. **Lenore Gittis**
88. Sandra Joseph
89. Elaine Keller
90. Robert Lotz
91. Carolyn Robinson
92. Barbara Schane
93. Jacqueline Soloff
94. Carol Wojcik
95. Arlene Aptoff
96. **Mary Rose Davies**
97. **Evelyn Gulyas**
98. Joan Kernis
99. Charles Pannebakker
    Ruthann Lozowski
100. Pauline Pincus
101. **Ruth Swichar**
102. **Virginia Walanin**
103. Albert S. Barkoo
104. Anita Doherty
105. **Phyllis Goldman**
106. Wilma Kaldenock
107. Libby Litt
108. Ilien Markovitz
109. Irene Roseman
110. Eileen Shaw
111. Roberta Wallen

Star Salesmen Are Shown in Heavy Print

President—William McCloskey
Vice-President—Edward Green
Secretary—William Tuerk

Hi-Y

Sponsor—Mr. Clearwater

Treasurer—John Beiler
Sergeant-at-arms—Fred Hoffman
Chaplain—Dick Harris

This year is the twentieth anniversary for the Olney Hi-Y. Looking back over the years we find that in early March, 1931, five boys who had been transferred to the Olney High School from Germantown, Northeast, and Frankford approached Mr. Weiler and asked him to assume the leadership of the club. Mr. Weiler accepted and acted as the advisor for the Hi-Y until very recent years.

The first members met on a Tuesday night at 8 o'clock in the back room of a church at Fairhill and Chew Streets. The boys have met on Tuesday night at 8 ever since. Among the boys at this first meeting were Louis Diede, the first president, Harry Vollmer, Carl Maish, Bill Loesche, Ben Diest, Henry Kosek, and Bob Rainey, the first S. A. president. During the second year the club met at the Germantown Y and has met there ever since. Mr. Clearwater, well loved by all "his boys" is now the sponsor of the Hi-Y—the fine club to which we all wish many more years of continued success.

SPORTS

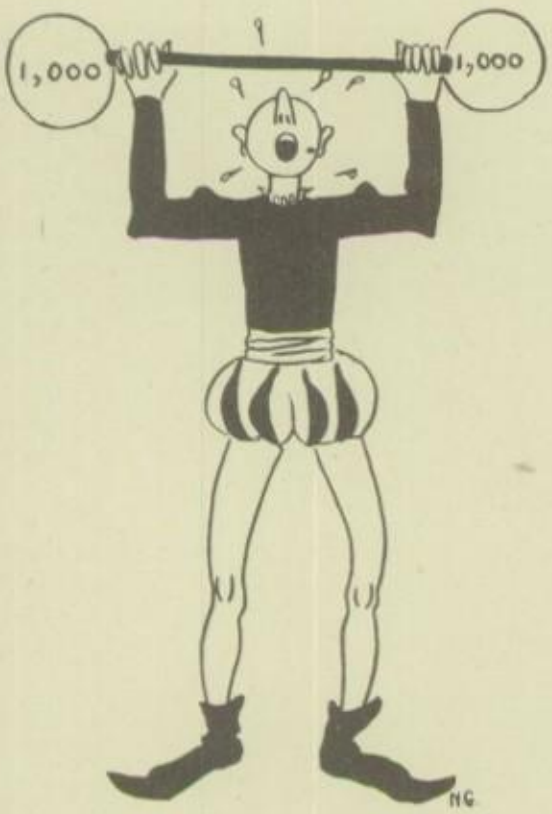
"To business that we love we rise betime and go to't with delight"

If you have ever been a member of any team or organization, you know how true this quotation is. You probably spent extra hours working with the organization. This is equally true as far as the members of our teams are concerned. These boys and girls spend much of their spare time practising to make their team top-notch, not because they feel obliged, but because they want to and they enjoy what they are doing. Because of their hard practise, they have given us teams of which we are proud, teams that have fought and have won for us.

We as spectators, have watched these teams with delight. Often we, also, *"rose betime"* to get to the field an hour early in order to get good seats. Many were the times when we yelled so long and so loud that we went home hoarse, but often our confidence in our team and our cheering helped decide the outcome of the game. There were times, of course, when our cheering wasn't enough and though we played hard, we did not emerge victorious. But, win or lose, our boys and girls had gained in the end. They had worked hard, played hard, but most important, had had fun.

All-Am ica Board's 1950
All-Am ica Football Team

Gym Team

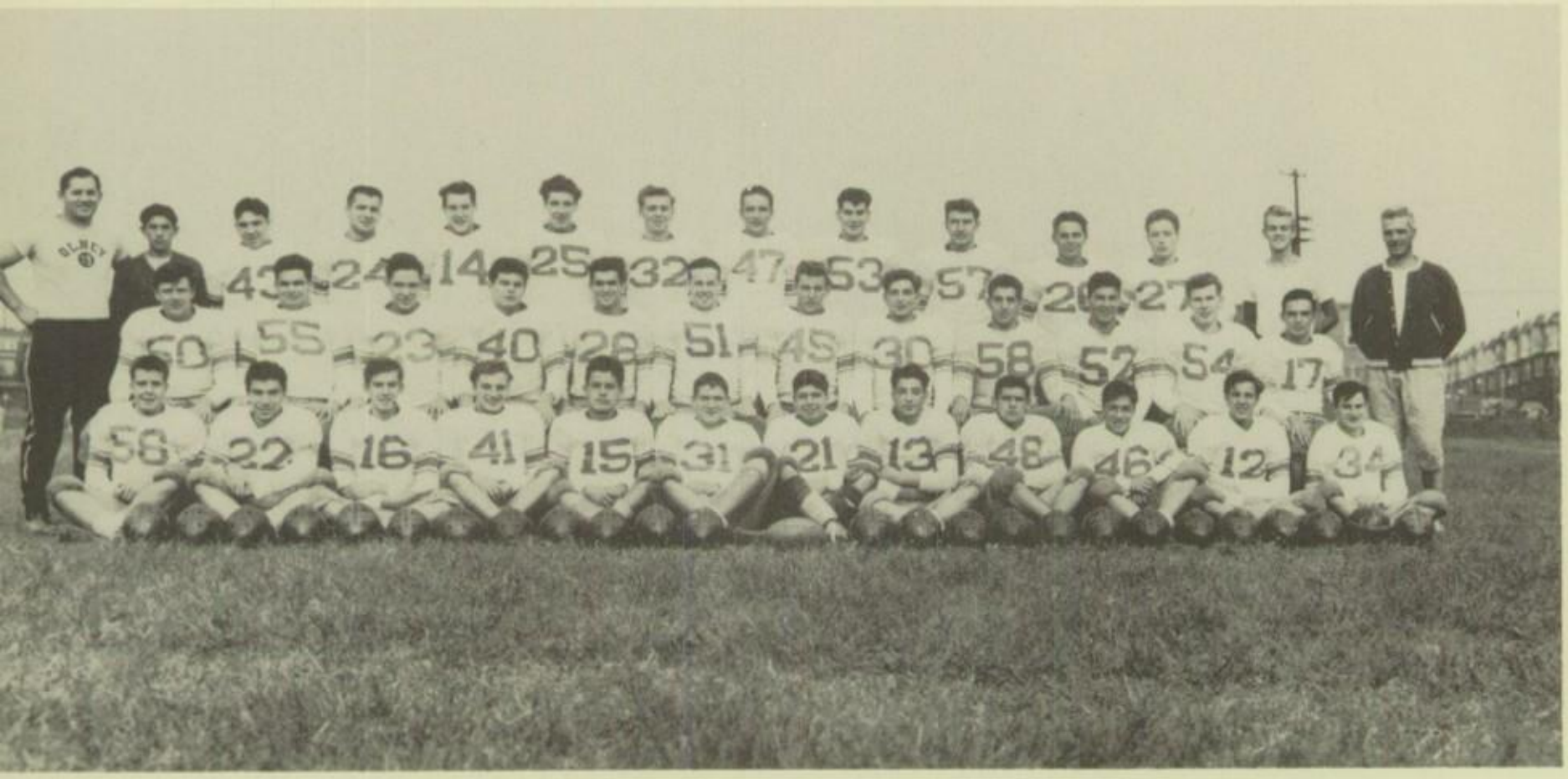


The long anticipated winning of a Public League Championship by an Olney Gym Team became a reality as Olney gymnasts copped their 8th straight victory of the season by defeating Bartram and Benj. Franklin. The senior members of the team, with the able coaching of Mr. Harris, were instrumental in the defeat of such rivals as the traditionally powerful defending champions from Southern. The brilliant performances of Karl Schwenzfeier on the rings, the masterful gyrations of Jim Wilson and the outstanding individual performances of Philip Becker, Jim Kohl, Bob Morton, Sam Minichiello, Dick Swain and Russ Zimmer were the decisive elements in the formation of Olney's truly great gymnastic champions.

Basketball Team

Many people judge a basketball team solely on its won and lost record, but they overlook the long hours of work that go into the making of a basketball squad. The coach, Mr. Spielberg, the managers, Murray Caplan, Jules Schein, and Ed Lick, and the star players, such as Lee Pitock, Frank Levin, Wally Shields and Charley Copper, devoted a large portion of their leisure time to practicing. When the team did well in the pre-season scrimmages, the outlook for a winning season was good. But something happened, and the boys couldn't win consistently. The fans then became disgruntled and forgot that the team was trying its best to win.

Although we can't boast of a winning team, we can boast of a fighting team, full of spirit and the will to win.



Football Team

First Team Coaches–Mr. Mueller, Mr. Nejman

Second Team Coaches–Dr. Tierney, Mr. Weiler

Football is one of the sports that will be outstanding in our memories of our high school career, and our Football Team is one which we all will remember. Under the expert coaching of Mr. Mueller and Mr. Nejman, the Trojans brought fame to Olney in our senior year. Playing with great skill and enthusiasm, they won four of the six league games played, and tied for third place in the Public League. Our team will be remembered with pride as one of Olney's finest.

Soccer Team

First Team Coach—Mr. Brink

Second Team Coach—Mr. Sehl

We will long remember the time spent watching the exciting games of our Soccer Team. Inspired by their fine coach, the "Brinkmen" showed plenty of enthusiasm and school spirit throughout the season. The fact that they did not win a championship will not stop us from remembering what we think is a fine Soccer Team.

Baseball Team

Coach

MR. NEJMAN

Senior Members

JOSEPH RITTER
ALBERT SPANGLER
ADOLPH HUBER
JAMES LUNG
BURTON GOLD
FRED HOFFMAN

Golf Team

Coach

MR. BALIS

Senior Members

MICHAEL FARRELL
HENRY JANZANO
MELVIN HERRIN

Track Team

Coach

MR. BARRON

Cross Country Team

Coach

MR. MARHEFKA

Senior Members

JOHN BEILER
ROBERT EDWARDS
HERBERT OEKNICK
MORRIS WEISS
DAVID HARRIS
EDWARD KRENSEL

Boys' Tennis Team

Coach
MR. SCHLEIFER

Captain
GERALD NABIT

Senior Members
ROY ENGEL
JAY KASKEY

Girl's Bowling Team

Coach—MISS LOVELIDGE

1st team Captain—CAROL LOPER *2nd team Captain*—MARY TALLON

Senior Members

MIRIAM BREISH NANCY DIEMER, DOROTHY SERPICO, MARY TALLON

Boy's Bowling Team

Olney's Bowling Team is one of which we can all justly be proud. The Trojan Keglers, expertly coached by Mr. Marzzacco, and sparked by the excellent playing and leadership of captain Joe Dougherty, had one of the finest seasons in the history of Olney High. Aided by the skillful bowling of such star players as Dick Casagrand, Mayer Stutman, and Joe Ritter, the team ended their season with an average of 2390.5—the highest average achieved this year in the Public High School League. Then, as a culmination of an already fine season, the Trojan Keglers, in competition with all other teams in the Philadelphia area, won top honors in an annual tournament sponsored by the Philadelphia Evening Bulletin. In recognition of this triumphant victory, the team was presented with one of the most highly valued awards available to a bowling team, the "Bulletin Cup." It is evident that the 1950-51 season for the Olney Bowling Team will justly go down in the record books as a "great" season.

Girls' Basketball Team

Miss McPeak's wonderful girls' basketball team has won the "mythical" city basketball championship again this year. Olney can well be proud of this team; it's wonderful! Best of luck to the graduating seniors—Betty and Loretta Foley, Margaret Kline, June Peterson, Claire Sterner and Carol Turnock.

Girls' Hockey Team

Under the competent leadership of Mrs. Leise, the Girls' Hockey team has climbed to fame with many top-notch players spurring the team to victory. The girls on the team deserve much credit for their fine work, since hockey is one of the toughest games among girls' sports. Their excellent playing is a result of faithful practice and a desire to win. To these girls we leave the sincere wish that they keep up the good work—and more power to them.

Girls' Volley Ball Team

Coach

Miss Phillips

Senior Members

Joan Primavera Janice Bruntrager

Claire Sterner Nancy Maxwell

Girls' Softball Team

Coach

Miss Creutzinger

Senior Members

Margaret Kline Lois Ellis Nancy Maxwell

Girls' Swimming Team

Coach
MISS WALKDEN

Manager
HELEN CONDODINA

Captain
SALLY SECOR

Senior Member
BERNA SPIELBERG

Senior Leaders

Coach
MISS LOVELIDGE

Manager
MIRIAM BREISH

Assistant Manager
NANCY EWEN

ATHLETIC HONORS

Letters in Three Sports

DONALD BERGER

JAMES LUNG

JOSEPH RITTER

Gold "O"

BETTY FOLEY

LORETTA FOLEY

LOIS ELLIS

MARGARET KLINE

CLAIRE STERNER

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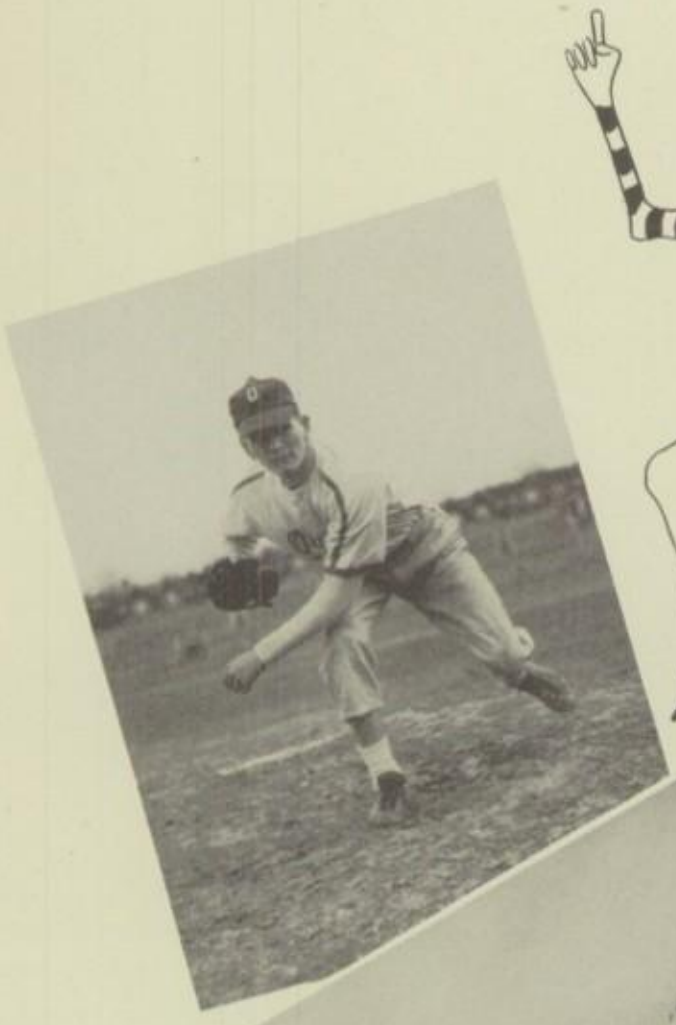
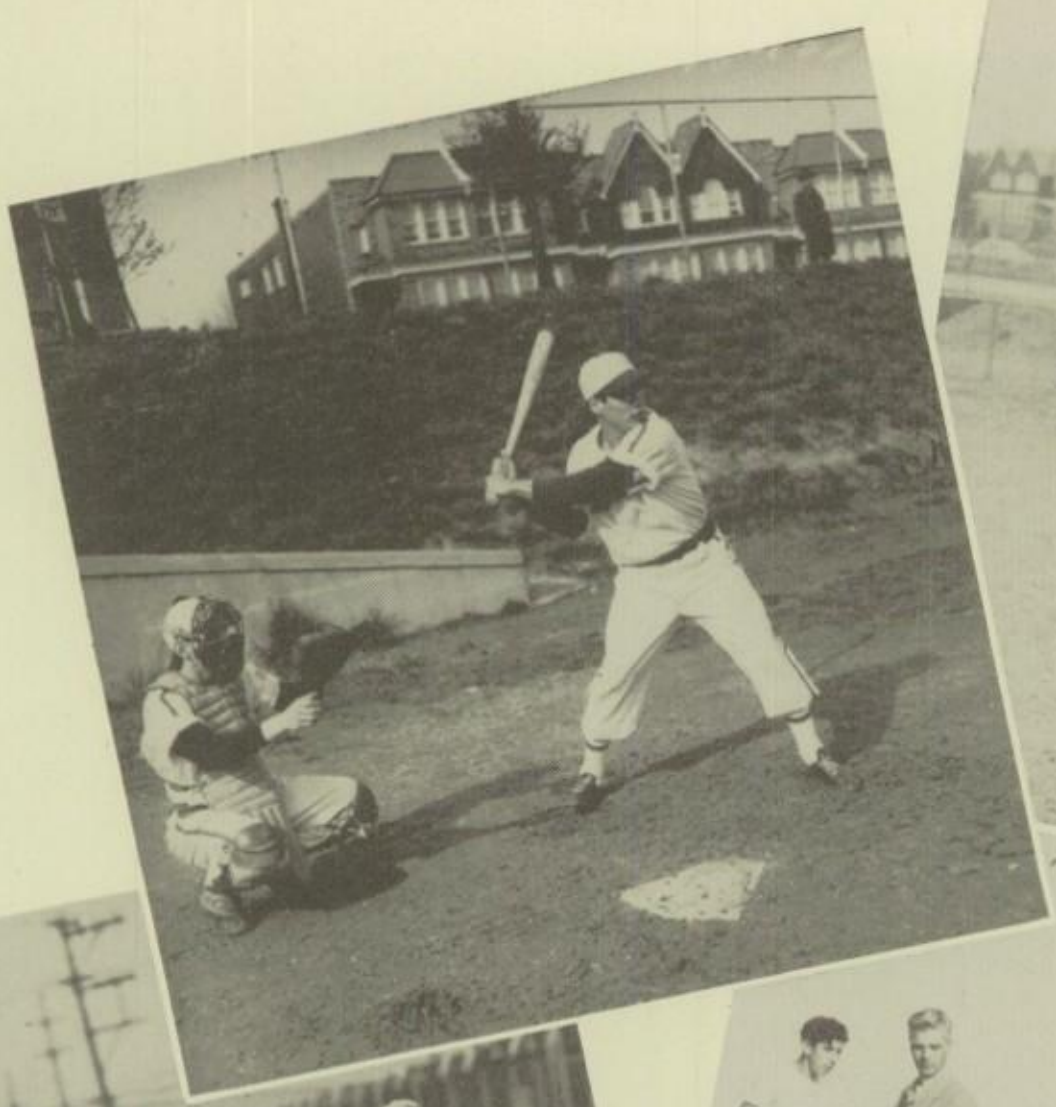
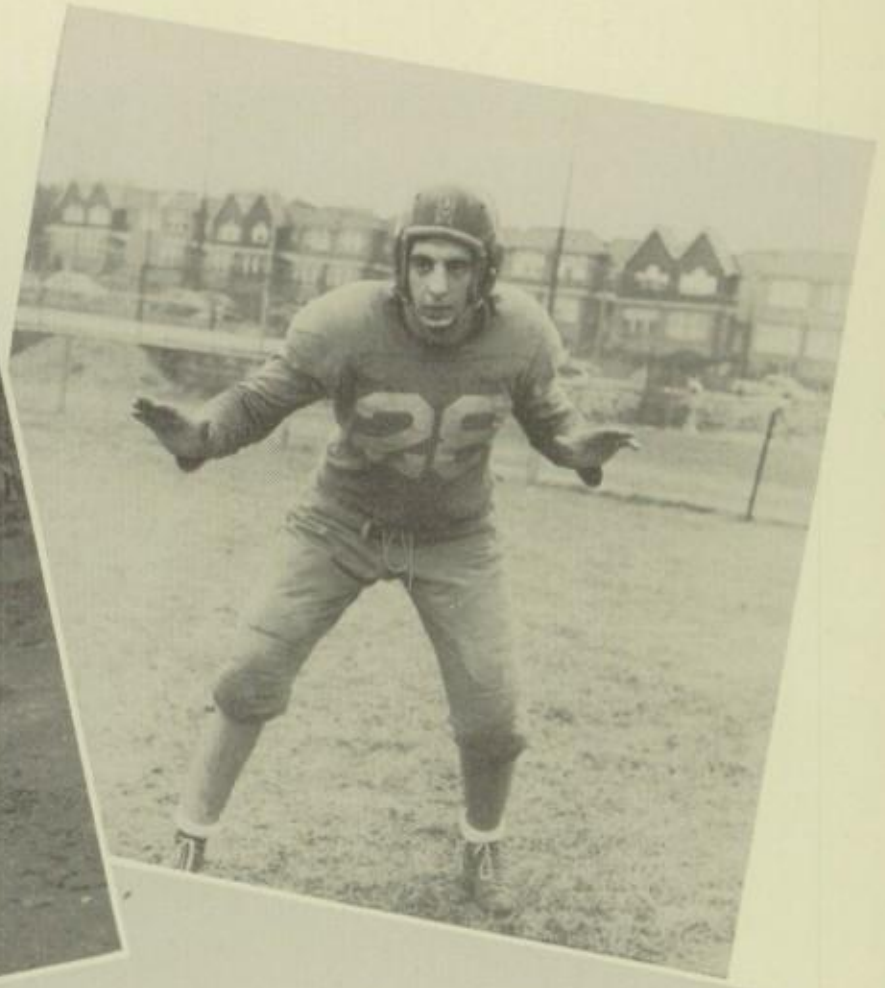
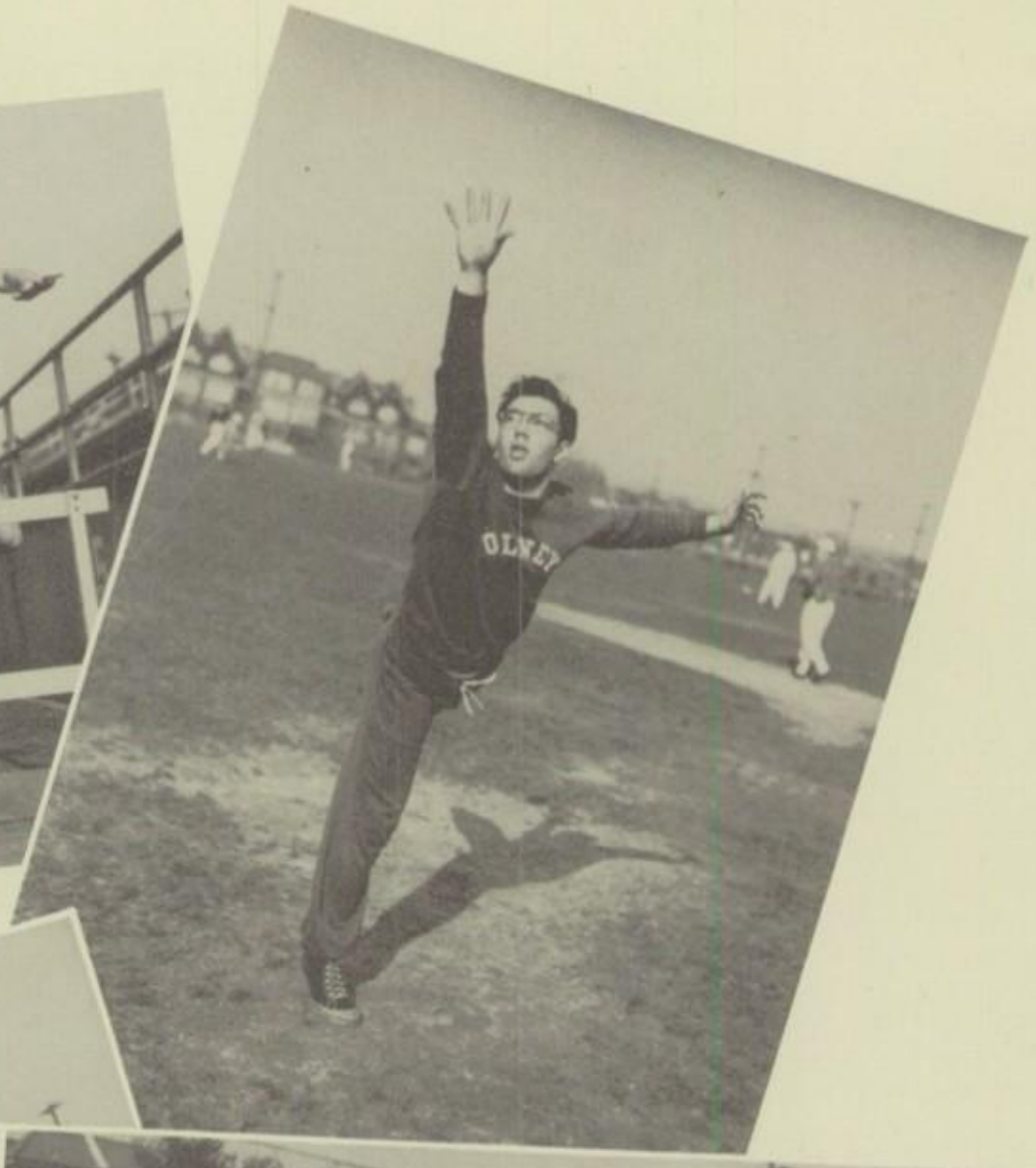
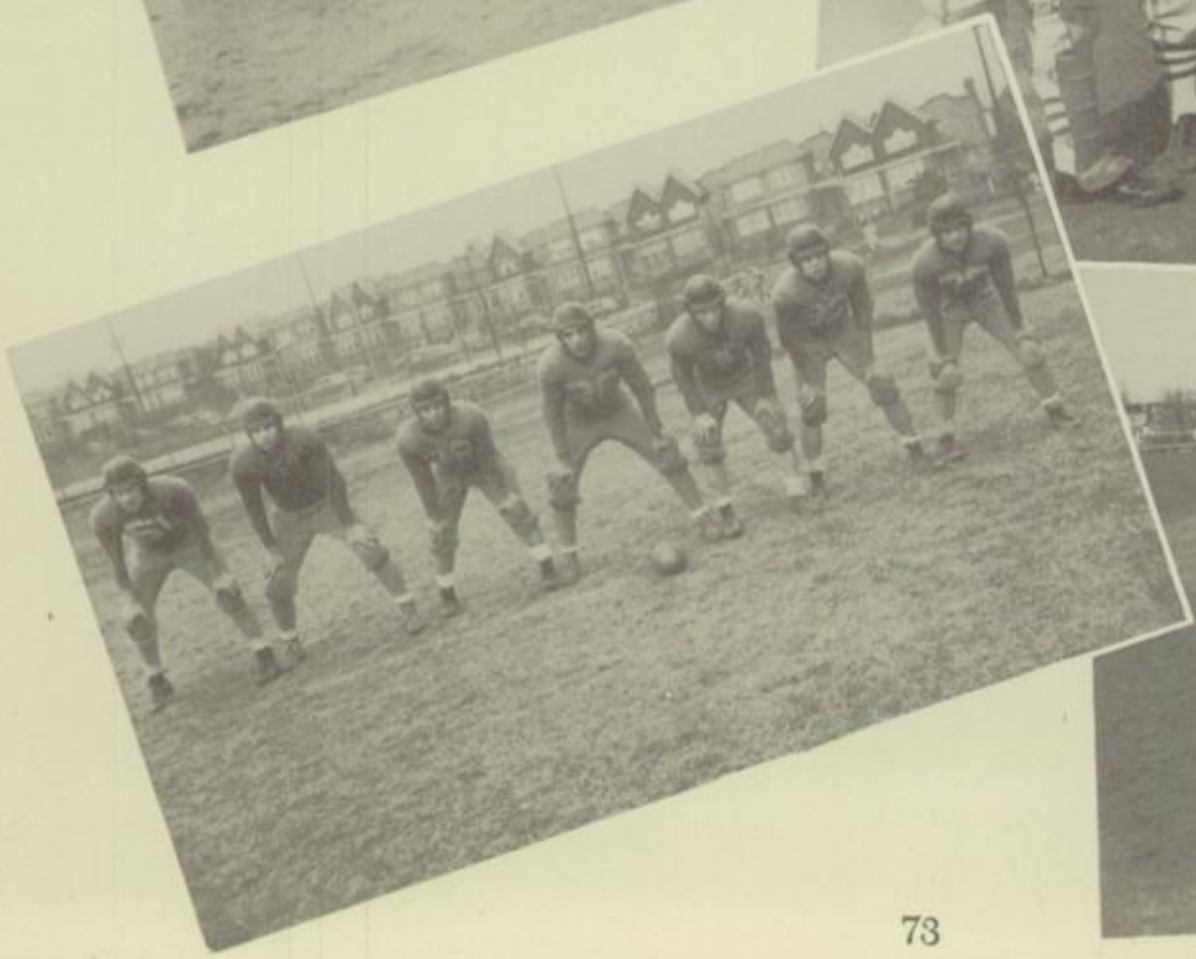










SENIORS

"At The Last, Best"

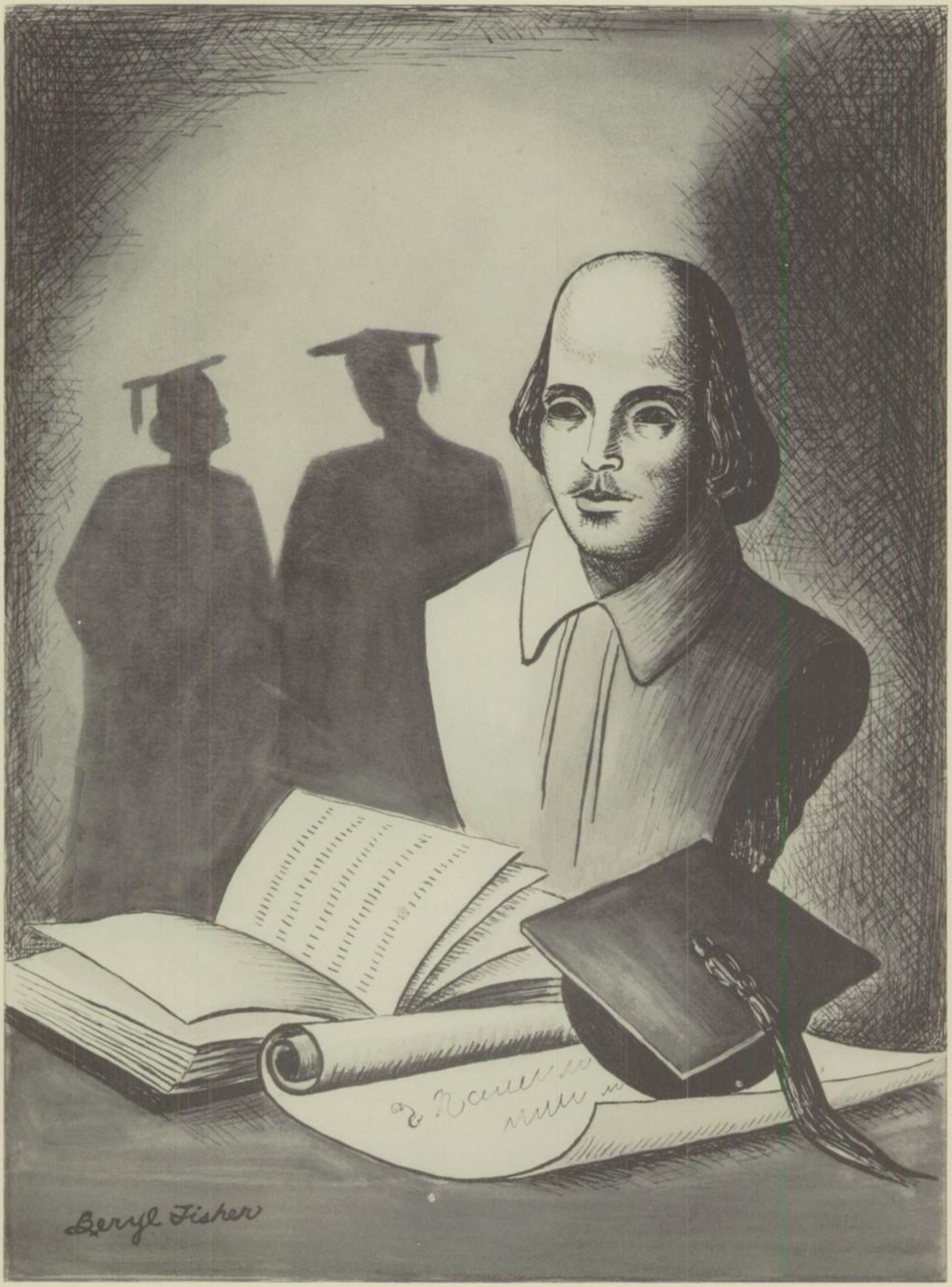
Although we *"chew the food of sweet and bitter fancy"* all through our high school years, the sweetest comes to us in our final year, the senior year. In what other grade will a group of students be found gathered around a bulletin board heatedly debating which pin would be the best representative of their class? In what other year will the very difficult task of choosing superlatives from such a talented class confront the students than in the senior year? Cannot a senior be recognized immediately by the plaint, "My pictures turned out horribly?"

At no other time during our stay at Olney can the magic of the Prom be surpassed; for nothing can equal the first anxieties and doubts two months before the dance, the feeling of pride and confidence when we were sure of our presence there, the excitement that is aroused a week before the Prom, and, finally, the enchanting incantation of the Prom night.

It is only on our trip to Bear Mountain that we realize how much fun our classmates and advisors really are, and perhaps it is here that we begin regretting that we hadn't been a little more friendly to some who needed our kindness.

"And so, from hour to hour we ripe and ripe" preparing ourselves for the culmination of our high school career, the day on which we must leave the protection and guidance of Olney High School - our graduation. This last activity in which we, the seniors, participate is the most solemn and the one which arouses the deepest feelings, for it is our leave-taking, our farewell.

Isn't it singular that Shakespeare's sentiments are synonymous to ours when he said, *"At the last, best"*?


Beryl Fisher

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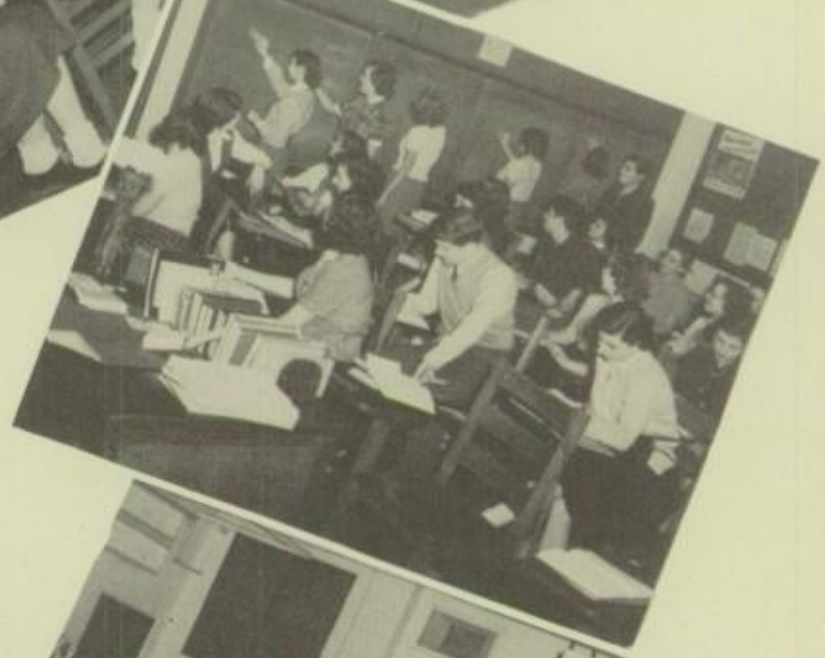

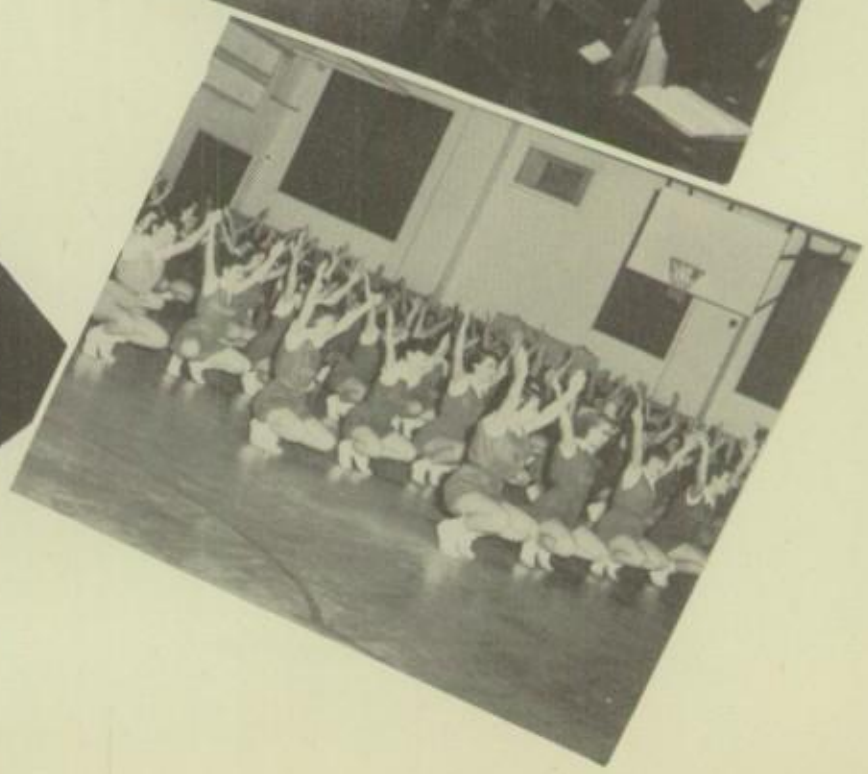

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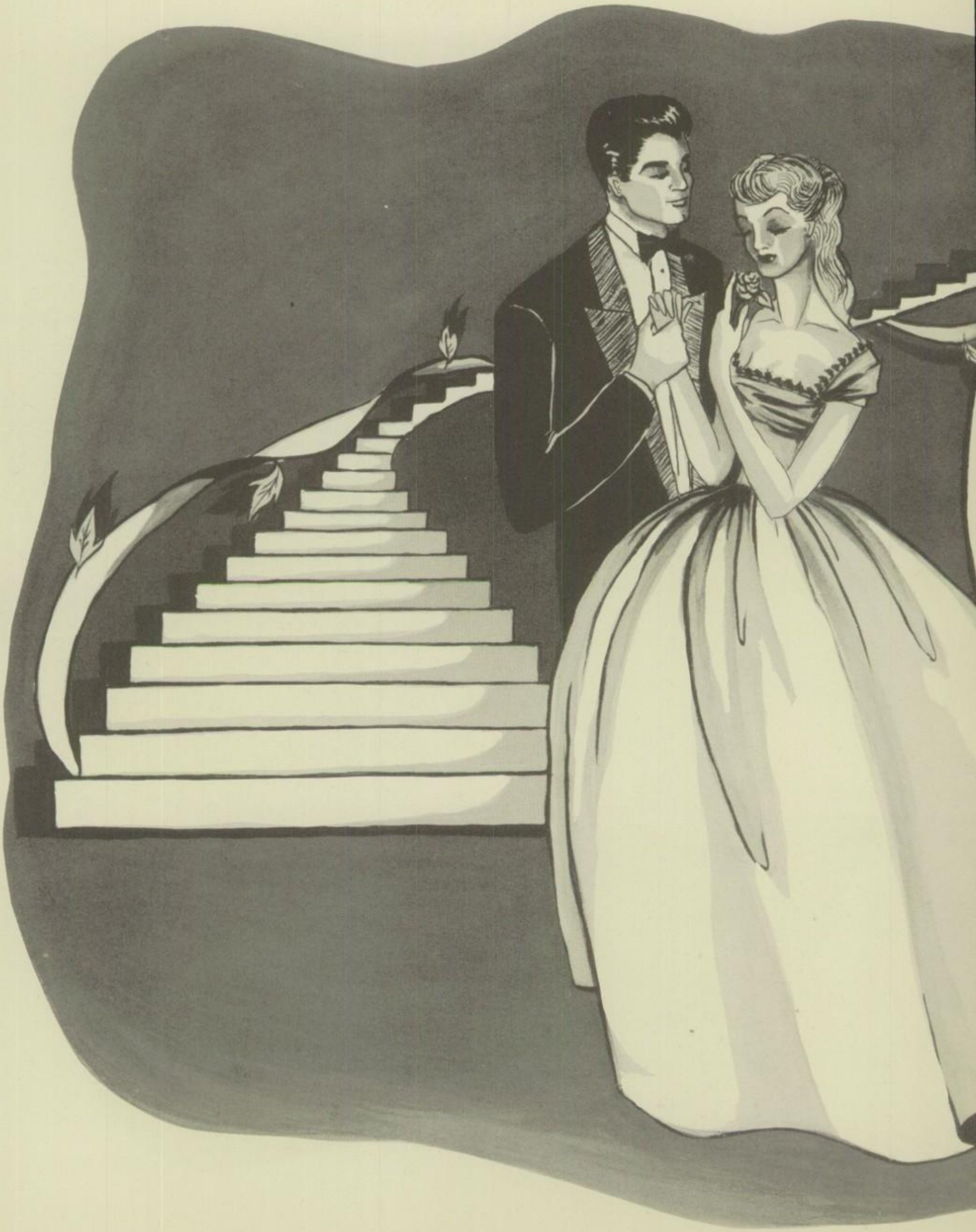

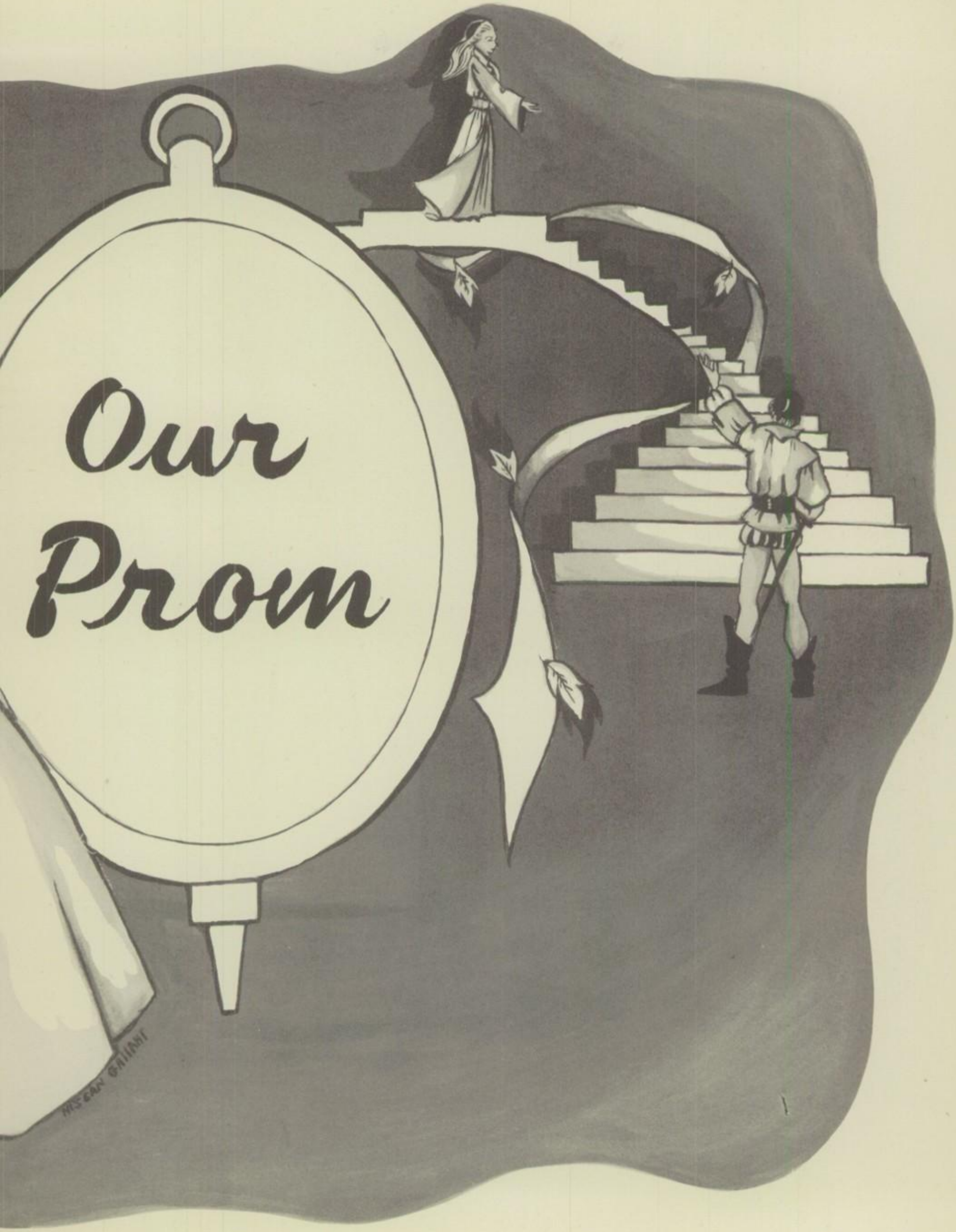
Our
Prom
MEGAN GALLANT

PROM

Once again we shall have to call upon the ever-dependable William Shakespeare to express our feelings. That famous gentleman once said:

"Wonderful, wonderful, wonderful
Once again wonderful, and after that
All out of whooping."

How applicable these lines are to the feelings we, as a 12A class, had on the night of January 12th and the week leading up to it. Excitement and anticipation prevailed. Boys, who during the school week were usually unconscious of their clothes, began suddenly to worry which set of their father's studs to wear with the rented tux. The always meticulous girls also had last minute headaches about the exact shade their shoes were dyed, the special hairdo that was so sophisticated, and the type of jewelry that would "go" with their heavenly gowns.

At last that wonderful, clear evening arrived. The crowd in the Crystal Ballroom of the Broadwood Hotel could hardly be recognized as the same that only a few hours earlier had paraded around in sport shirts and

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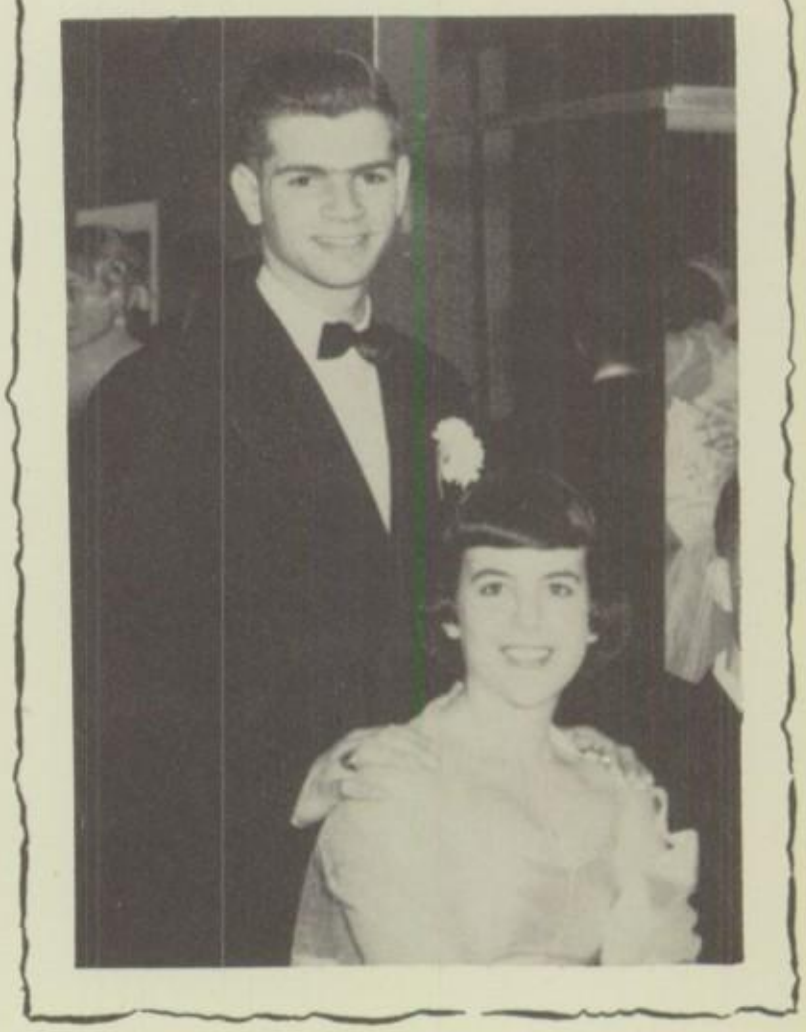
bobby socks. The music of the Ken Moore Karavan was wonderful, and in our hearts many of us were thinking, "*If music be the food of love, play on.*" But all good things must end, so we all left the hotel to go to the various night clubs to lose, for the only time during this long evening, our individuality, and to become part of an enormous smoke-filled room in which practically everyone was groping for coke or lemonade straws and super club sandwiches.

The next sequence was to make the rounds of the parties in the various sections of the city. The boys used gallons of gasoline, the girls ruined their gowns by stepping through the hem; and in everyone's mind ran the phrase, "*I have not slept one wink*". But sleep was not to come to us for many more hours for there were still the breakfast parties to attend from which there was enough food left to last the hostesses for five lunches the following week.

"*We burned daylight*", and we finally decided to conclude the *wonderful, wonderful* evening by a quick trip to an automat and a kiss on the doorstep.



SENIOR

JERRY NABIT

BARBARA BROWN

BEST DRESSED

JAY SOBEL

RITA BONACCORSI

BEST PERSONALITY

CHARLES WEAVER

BEST LOOKING

MARTIN CLINE

EVELYN COHEN

MOST INTELLIGENT

SEYMOUR SPECTOR

JOYCE FREUDBERG

MOST WITTY

SUPERLATIVES

STANLEY GREENBLATT

NANCY BECKER

MOST TALKATIVE

JAMES LUNG

MARGARET KLINE

MOST ATHLETIC

NANCY MAXWELL

BEST LOOKING

PAUL FRIEDMAN

RONNIE HOROWITZ

MOST LIKELY TO SUCCEED

FRANK DOUGHERTY

HELENE BLAUSTEIN

TYPICAL OLNEYITE

FOOTLIGHT NOTES

NISSAN GALINT

COMMUNITY SNAPS

DENTAL HEALTH
EDUCATION
X-RAYS TELL A STORY
WAX SPECIMENS

Grade Counselor

"A good counselor never lacks clients."

Who better deserves the humble appreciation of the June 1951 class than our grade counselor, Mr. Somerset? Will he ever forget the long lines of students waiting for roster changes at the beginning of each term? Mr. Somerset proved himself an interested counselor and a sincere friend, giving each of us individual attention and advice. It was Mr. Somerset who arranged our subjects, changed our rosters, and finally assured our graduation.

We, the class of June 1951, wish to thank Mr. Somerset for being a wonderful and magnanimous person as well as an able and interested grade counselor.